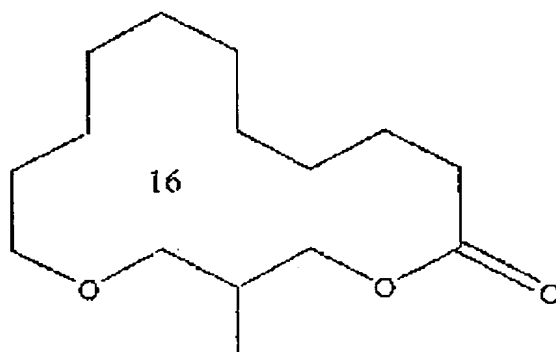


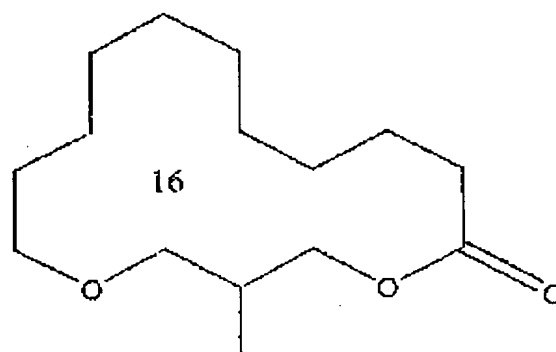
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1. An ether lactone of general structure (I)



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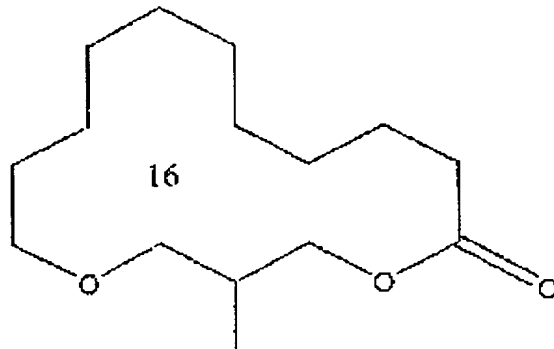
2. A use of said ether lactone of general structure (I)



(I)

as a fragrance.

3. Fragrance compositions having a content of said ether lactone (I)



(I)

said compound (I) being present in an amount of 1 to 70 % by weight, based on the entire composition.